

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened barely steady, Dec. 12.50; Jan. 12.53; March 12.78; May 13.02; July 13.24.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—(AP)—Alabama weather fair tonight, possibly light frost in northeast, Friday increasing cloudiness.

FIFTY-EIGHT ARE DEAD IN HAVANA STORM; FLORIDA UNHURT

Kiwanis To Hear Plan For Curb Market Tonight

MISS HAMILTON IS ON PROGRAM, WILL GIVE AN OUTLINE

Anniston J. C. C. Is Pleased With The First Result

MOFFATT WRITES TO LOCAL BODY

Facts And Figures Show Advantage For Anniston

Miss Sallye Hamilton, home demonstration agent of Morgan county, tonight will lay the plan for a curb market before the Albany-Decatur Kiwanis club, which organization is expected to aid in getting the market established within the coming winter months.

Miss Hamilton will talk to the Kiwanis for only a brief period of time after the club opening at 6:30 o'clock, other speakers also appearing on the program.

Writing today of the Anniston curb market, W. G. Moffatt, vice president and chairman of the curb market committee made the following outline at the request of the local Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. B. C. Shelton, Director The Albany-Decatur Jr. Chamber of Commerce, Albany, Ala.

Dear Sir:

Replying to yours of October 11, addressed to Mr. M. S. Nelson, Secretary of local Junior Chamber of Commerce I will endeavor to give you some facts outlying the local curb market.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce appointed a committee of 5 members, to look into the feasibility of establishing a curb market for the farmers of Calhoun county. On this committee we happened to have the good fortune of having the County Demonstration Agent, Mr. Sam Doughty and Mrs. Claire Livingston, the Home Economics Agent, there two people gave us aid that we otherwise could not have received without their co-operation. They both wrote letters to all the farmers in the county and went before different community gatherings and outlined the plan for the curb market, the first meeting was called to be held at the Court house and at that time about 25 farmers attended and were addressed by Miss Williams from Auburn. After this meeting it was decided that we ask all the civic bodies of Anniston to co-operate with us in this movement. They each in turn appointed a committee of 3 to work with the Junior Chamber of Commerce committee and also there was a committee from the farmers, these different committees met and decided that there should be a curb market committee selected from the different organizations which were fostering this movement. This committee to find when and at what time the curb market could be established, how many days a week to be operated, and this committee also to have the power to appoint a curb master who was to regulate the prices and practically manage the curb market. The curb market committee decided that before we establish a curb market for Anniston that it would be best that we see one in operation, in accordance we made a special trip to Rome, Georgia and at that time we took over 30 farmers, business men and ladies to Rome so well pleased that we decided to establish a market for Anniston.

The first day there was something like 19 producers on the market and everything was sold out and the total proceeds on that day was something over \$200.00. To date there have been 180 producers to take out their yearly permit and some days there is over \$500 worth of produce sold on the curb market. The consumer is well

Few Hours Left Determine Part In Civic Drive

Only a few hours now separate Albany-Decatur from the realization of a gigantic civic goal, a goal other cities the size of these localities would proudly boast, a few hours remain for those who have not shared in the responsibility to come forward and assure, at least partially, a definite bright future.

Such was the philosophical manner in which business leaders of the civic drive tonight looked upon the status of a civic goal and its relationship to the entire citizenship of these communities.

"Views or news that we are 'over the top' is not backed by substantial information," asserted one drive leader, "while others are conferring with industrial giants we must continue to pile up the security here." It was his way of telling the public that the last step is yet to be made and that further investments are needed.

REV. ERNEST HART, TO BE INSTALLED

Pastor Is Received By Presbytery At Athens Meet

Rev. Ernest Hart, new pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church, was formally received into the Huntsville Presbytery, meeting in adjourned session in Athens Wednesday.

Installation ceremonies will be given here on the first Sunday in November, at which time Rev. J. Russell Crawford, of Athens, will preside and preach at the local church. The charge to the congregation will be delivered by Rev. A. N. Nenland, pastor of Willoughby Presbyterian church, and the charge to the new minister will be given by Rev. Herman L. Turner, of Sheffield.

A. D. Jervis and Henry Hartung attended the Athens meeting as delegates from the local church.

SENATOR DESIRES DELAY OF PROBE

McNary Would Wait Until After The Election

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—(AP)—Senator McNary, republican, Oregon, telegraphed Chairman Reed, of the senate campaign funds committee today, that he would prefer to delay the inquiry into the Washington state political campaign until after the elections on November 2.

Senator Reed telegraphed Senator McNary urging that he begin the investigation at once. The chairman also sent a message to Senator King, democrat, Utah, who is at Salt Lake City, asking him to conduct the inquiry, if Senator McNary found himself unable to go ahead.

The Oregon senator, who is a member of the committee explained that he did not desire to interrupt his speaking campaign. Samuel Sumner, republican state chairman in Washington has telegraphed Senator Reed that a large campaign fund is being expended for A. Scott Bullitt, democratic senatorial opponent of Senator Jones, republican. Bullitt has denied this charge.

SOUTHERN LIFTS ITS EMBARGO ON COTTON LOCALLY

Ellenen Reports Its Embargo Sticks For the Time

MUCH COTTON HANDLED HERE

Compress Is Taking Care of About 1400 Bales Each Day

The embargo of the Southern cotton to this point has been lifted, it was announced today by railway on incoming shipments of Eugene Morrow, Southern freight agent, but at the Louisville and Nashville freight office it was stated the embargo of that road still was effective.

The embargo of the Louisville and Nashville went into effect Sunday evening, it was stated, and it was not known exactly when conditions would permit it to be lifted.

Cotton continues to come into this market with rapidity and the Union Compress officials announced today that between 1200 and 1400 bales of cotton are being handled there daily.

No let-up yet has been shown in the incoming shipments, although many observers believed that the crop was considerably more than last picked throughout this section.

"We are operating pretty close to capacity now," it was stated at the compress today. "We are handling between 1200 and 1400 bales daily and endeavoring in every way to keep the cotton going out so as to avoid any congestion in the local yards."

It was indicated today that the railroad congestion is not so severe as it was last season, when cotton literally was "dumped" here as a result of the early picking and the favorable weather which enabled planters to get most of their staple out before the rainy season began.

IS BODY OF GIRL THAT OF MISS LEE

Woman Killed When Car Strikes Cow and Turns Over

ALEXANDRIA, La., Oct. 19.—(AP)—While her identity has not been definitely established, the young woman, 26, who died Sunday here as a result of an automobile accident at Richland, is believed to have been Lavaga Lee, of Vinemont, Ala., police announced Monday. She had been known as Mrs. Donald Mathieu.

A message from R. L. Nolan, Alabama penitentiary official, received by Chief Don Legg, said: "Body you hold not Donald Mathieu's wife. He believes it to be Lavaga Lee, paroled Alabama prisoner. You may communicate with her father, John S. Mitchell, Vinemont."

Four other persons in the automobile were injured when the machine struck a cow and turned over.

Records of the circuit court clerk here today showed that Lavaga Lee was sentenced on February 11, 1926, to from a year and a day to a year and two days on a charge of embezzlement.

"RETIREMENT" OF 4,000,000 BALES OF COTTON PLANNED

Vice President of Exchange Bares Proposal To Raise Price Given For Staple.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—(AP)—

The special committee appointed by President Coolidge to consider ways of aiding the cotton farmer is considering plans to retire 4,000,000 bales of cotton from the market for a considerable period, according to John W. Jay, vice president of the New York Cotton Exchange.

He is a member of a committee appointed by the Exchange to represent it in attempting a solution of the problem.

By so doing, the price of cotton could be protected, in the opinion of the committee. Arrangements would be made for government loans on properly warehoused and protected cotton and pressure would be brought to bear to reduce

next season's acreage.

Mr. Jay returned yesterday from Washington, where the cotton exchange committee conferred with a special cotton committee appointed by President Coolidge.

William J. Neal, president of the American Cotton Shippers Association, who also returned from Washington yesterday, said it was "absolutely vital to the South and country to launch an educational campaign among consumers for a greatly reduced acreage next year."

Secretaries Mellon, Hoover and Jardine are "keenly alive to the situation," he said, adding that money enough was available at the present to permit withdrawal of cotton from the market for from six to 20 months.

EUGENE V. DEBS CALLED BY DEATH

Veteran Leader Of Socialist Party Succumbs

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—(AP)—

Eugene V. Debs, outstanding apostle of Socialism in the United States, died in a suburban sanitarium at 7:44 o'clock last night.

Mr. Debs would have been 71 years old had he lived until November 5.

He suffered a nervous breakdown a month ago and retired to the sanitarium in which he died.

Because of his advanced years and heart disease, which had persisted virtually throughout his life, he offered but slight physical resistance when a turn for the worse occurred. Several weeks ago kidney disease developed as an added complication.

He lapsed into a profound coma Saturday and failed to recover consciousness. It was his will to live which stayed death, said the attending physicians, who also remarked upon the period of coma as very unusual.

With the aged socialist leader at the end where his wife, Katherine; his daughter, Mary, of Muncie, Ind.; a brother, Theodore, and two sisters, Mrs. John Heint, of Terre Haute, Ind., and Mrs. C. O. Meiloux, of New York. At his bedside during his last moments also were Socialist party leaders, including William H. Henry, the national executive secretary.

Eugene V. Debs, leader of Socialist party in America and five times its nominee for president, was dominated by two important factors in life. He loved his fellow man and remained firm in his convictions, suffering the consequences but still upholding the principles for which he fought.

WIFE HELD WHILE FUNERAL IS HELD FOR ANNISTON CITIZEN

ANNISTON, Ala., Oct. 21.—(AP)—While the funeral of Leonard F. Greer, Jr., who was mysteriously murdered at his home at Spavinaw, Okla., last Friday night, was being conducted here today, officers in the Oklahoma town were continuing a search for Ben Schue, who, with Mrs. Greer, are charged with Greer's death.

The funeral took place at the home of Beecher Greer, a brother. The body, accompanied by the parents, reached here last night. The Greer family is among the oldest and best known of this section.

TURKEYS LIKELY TO BE CHEAPER

Holiday Fowls To Be Easier On Purses of Householders

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 21.—

Turkeys for Thanksgiving and Christmas will be cheaper than usual, according to members of the Southern Poultry and Egg Dealers association, which was convened in its annual meeting at the Chamber of Commerce Wednesday. The increase in the number of the holiday birds raised for the market is responsible for the forecast that the price will be lower.

After deciding as to the trend of the price of turkeys for the coming holiday season, the association elected officers for the coming year B. J. Malloney, Louisville, was re-elected president; A. M. Cochran, Nashville, was chosen vice-president; L. G. Smith, Shelbyville, Ky., secretary and Borman L. Taylor, Burnside, Ky., treasurer.

The morning session was devoted to reports of committees, reports of the accomplishments of the organization, chief of which was the putting over of a law in Kentucky requiring all egg dealers to have licenses, and which provides for state egg inspectors. The report was made by Mr. Maloney.

Ernest Wright Back From East

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wright returned last night from an extensive motor trip through the east. Both suffered narrow escapes from serious injury when, near Reading, Pa., their automobile turned over on a slippery road and plunged down a 100-foot embankment, catching both occupants beneath the machine. Passersby rescued them.

believed the charges against Mrs. Greer groundless. Mrs. Robert Lytell, sister of the murdered man, is quoted that "we will not believe Anita Greer is guilty until we have absolute proof."

SIX AVIATORS ARE HELD IN PROBE OF BROWDER KILLING

Civil Authorities To Demand Custody Of Flyers

PLANE SWOOPS AND KILLS MAN

Sheriff Awaits The Arrival Inspector General Wagner

MONTGOMERY, Oct. 21.—(AP)—

Formal demand upon the military authorities of Maxwell Field, U. S. Air Service post here, will be made by civil authorities for First Lieutenant H. A. Lehman and flight-sergeant Ray Francisco, under technical arrest at the post for the killing yesterday of F. G. Browder, 84, Confederate veteran, by an aeroplane which swooped out of the sky and crushed the aged man's skull.

Sheriff Robert C. Phelps, of Montgomery county, announced this morning that the demand for Lehman and his flight-sergeant will be made as soon as Inspector General Wagner arrives from Atlanta Ga., to investigate the case.

Three officers and their flight sergeants were held in military arrest at the field last night. They are: Lieut. Lehman, and Sergt. Francisco, and Lieutenants J. C. A. Dennison and Claire Stroh. The names of the sergeants accompanying Dennison and Stroh on their flights yesterday morning were withheld.

The three officers are new men at the field, having been transferred to the local post in September. Lieut. Lehman came here from North Dakota, Lieut. Dennison from Kelly Field, Texas, and Lieut. Stroh from Denver Col. Investigations at the post developed the fact that the three officers were all in the vicinity of the accident about the time the "hedge hopping" plane chased several negroes and swooped down to strike Mr. Browder in the back of the head, fracturing his skull.

The evidence against Lieutenant Lehman is strongest, according to Sheriff Phelps, who has questioned all the officers and their sergeants.

The unusual accident occurred yesterday morning about nine o'clock some four miles from Montgomery. Mr. Browder was working over his plantation with a negro, Clarke Henry, when the plane, flying westward, or toward Montgomery, swooped down upon them from the road, struck both men and ascended to become lost behind the clouds. The negro was not injured, with the exception of minor bruises, but the impact fractured Mr. Browder's skull, causing almost instant death.

STATE CONVENTION CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Delegates Appointed To Represent Local Congregation

The following delegates have been appointed to represent the congregation of the First Christian church here at the state convention of Christian churches, to be held in Birmingham on October 26, 27 and 28: Mrs. P. J. Blizard, Mrs. Wm. McDermott, Mrs. Frank Gray and Rev. Noble R. Edwards, the pastor.

The sessions of the state convention will be held in the First Christian church of Birmingham and an interesting three day's program has been arranged for the occasion.

Frisco Places Ladies Smoker Aboard Meteor

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. Oct. 21.—

(AP)—A new "meteor," fashioned by the tools of the Frisco railway company, was flashed this week before the vision of the traveling public of the mid-west and southland, which is expected to appeal immensely to "mildly" who enjoys her cigarette.

Frisco officials have announced the placing in service of a private smoking compartment for "Ladies Only," on the Meteor, fast passenger train. This luxurious lounge car is equipped with modern accommodations for 20 persons, including six comfy chairs, writing table, magazine racks and smoking stands, declared suitable for the most elite.

The Frisco move marks the first appearance of private "smokers" for women in this section of the country.

U. S. WILL ANSWER TARIFF MANIFESTO

Administration Will Deny Application To This Nation

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—(AP)—

The American government is preparing to publicly declare it does not consider the recent financier's manifesto against world trade restrictions as applying to the United States.

At the same time the government is expected to give support to the suggestion for a levelling of customs barriers among European nations.

The pronouncement is to be made by Secretary Mellon, who discussed the subject today with President Coolidge. The secretary advised his chief that he considered the manifesto sound, so far as it applies to Europe, but there could be no thought to lowering the American tariff.

Pointer Better Expected Today

Phil Pointer, popular tailoring salesman, who was stricken with an attack of blood poisoning, while in Gadsden, is much improved, according to long distance messages from there, and probably will be able to return to his home today. Mrs. Pointer is at his bedside.

Bill Grimm Has Tough Time But Watch His Gait

You've heard about the guy who was born with two strikes on him and an impending third strike around the next corner, you've listened to hard luck stories from down and outers, but you haven't listened to Bill Grimm, that character made famous in fiction by H. C. Wither.

Bill is the sort of chap who takes tough breaks ironically, grins when in bad humor, laughs when fortune smiles, which is only occasionally.

The story of Bill Grimm, told in serial form, is full of crackling humor, youthful romance, whizzling adventure in catchy slang language filled to overflowing with typically American wit and sentiment. Bill uncorks his story in a few days in The Daily, watch for the starting date. You're going to like Bill.

CUBA LASHED BY HURRICANE WHICH SWEEPS SEAWARD

Wind Roars Its Way Toward Bahama Islands Today

DAMAGE SMALL OVER FLORIDA

Brunt Of The Storm Borne By Havana; Many Injured

HAVANA, Cuba, Oct. 21.—

(AP)—Fifty-eight persons are dead and 2,100 are injured, 400 seriously in the Havana district in consequence of yesterday's hurricane, according to the first complete, though unofficial check-up. Buildings to the number of 325 collapsed.

Sweeping out of the West Indies, the tropical hurricane that yesterday lashed Cuba with devastating effect, passed over Southern Florida during the night and today was roaring seaward, toward the Bahama Islands.

The hurricane's position was estimated by the weather bureau this morning as in latitude 27 and longitude 77. It was described as still of "great intensity." Storm warnings remained displayed on the Southern Florida coast.

Efforts to communicate with the Bahamas were being made by Florida stations, but communication had not been established. The gale at times attained a 100-mile velocity in Key West and 60 miles at Miami. Broken trees and fallen signs constituted virtually the only material damage in Florida and the only casualty in Florida, so far reported, was that of a man in Miami, who was struck by a sign and injured fatally.

Havana bore the brunt of the storm. The death list there was estimated at 30, with 1200 injured and property damage running high into the millions. A number of those killed were caught under falling walls, while others were drowned.

Shipping was hard hit.

TOLL OF DEAD TAKEN

HAVANA, Oct. 21.—(AP)—The Caribbean hurricane, which struck Havana yesterday, took a toll of dead which may exceed 30 and caused the injury of about 1200 people.

Early estimates that 1800 had been injured were not borne out by later reports. The majority of those injured were suffering only from slight hurts.

Complete details of the damage in the suburbs are lacking. Reports thus far received say about 12 persons were killed and an unknown number injured, with few serious cases.

Communication with the interior still is cut off, but it is hoped that a restricted service will be restored in some parts of the island by tonight. The telephone service in Havana was greatly curtailed today.

The American consulate, the American club and leading hotels thus far have received no reports of the killing or serious injury of any Americans, although many are known to have suffered slight bruises.

Dr. S. J. Lloyd To Address Kiwanis

Dr. Stewart J. Lloyd, of the department of chemistry of the University of Alabama, was scheduled to arrive this afternoon from the south. Dr. Lloyd is on the program of the Kiwanis club, tonight at 6:30 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A., for an address upon "Nitrogen From the Air."

BIBLE WILL FURNISH BATTLE GROUND IN DR. NORRIS TRIAL

FAMOUS ATTORNEY STUDIES BIBLE TO MEET DR. NORRIS

Chipp's Widow Make Supreme Effort For Her Revenge

NORRIS MAY TALK SCRIPTURE

Murder Case Will Be Tried First Upon Pastor-Slayer

By F. L. ARMSTRONG, Jr.
International News Service Staff Correspondent

FORT WORTH, TEXAS.—"Wild Bill" McLean will meet Dr. J. Frank Norris, famous fundamentalist pastor, accused of murder in the slaying of D. E. Chipp, lumberman, on his own grounds when Norris comes to trial, November 11.

"Wild Bill," or Judge W. P. McLean, one of the most noted criminal attorneys in the southwest, has been hired by Mrs. Chipp, wife of the man shot to death in the office of the First Baptist Church, of which Norris is pastor, as a special prosecutor.

"Wild Bill" is reading the Bible in the belief that Dr. Norris will cite it in support of his announced plea of self defense. Dr. Norris already has preached several sermons dealing directly and indirectly with the events that occurred when Chipp came to his office to protest against statements the pastor had made against Mayor H. C. Meacham and others of the lumberman's friends.

The Bible figures prominently in the trial. Fundamentalism is the creed which has made Dr. Norris known throughout the country, and which brought him note through the Searchlight, publication of his Church. Since fundamentalism bases its creed on verbatim and literal interpretation of the Bible, McLean is preparing to quote as much of the Bible as, if possible, more aptly portions than Dr. Norris.

Confidence in his biblical knowledge is fairly oozing from the famous criminal attorney.

"Of course," he told an interviewer, "I will help try this case very much as I have tried other cases, except that I will be prosecuting where I usually defend. But if Dr. Norris brings religion into his trial I will be prepared for it. I studied theology and the Bible in college, in a Baptist college too, and I have been familiar with it since, because I think every attorney should be. So I will be able to meet the defense on its own grounds."

McLean stated that the case would be tried strictly on the basis of the information given the first investigating grand jury of Tarrant county, which indicted Dr. Norris for murder.

Fearful Threats

Dr. Norris' statement was that Chipp, whom he had not known previously to the day of the killing, had called him on the phone that day, and had told him that he was "coming over to settle with you for the things you said about my friends, Meacham and others."

Norris had made various utterances from the pulpit regarding the alleged discharge of members of his church from Meacham's department store, because they refused to quit the church.

Chipp, Dr. Norris said, came to the church study, and after threatening several times to kill the pastor, reached for his hip and Norris shot him.

"I believed my life in danger, so what else could I do?" Norris asked.

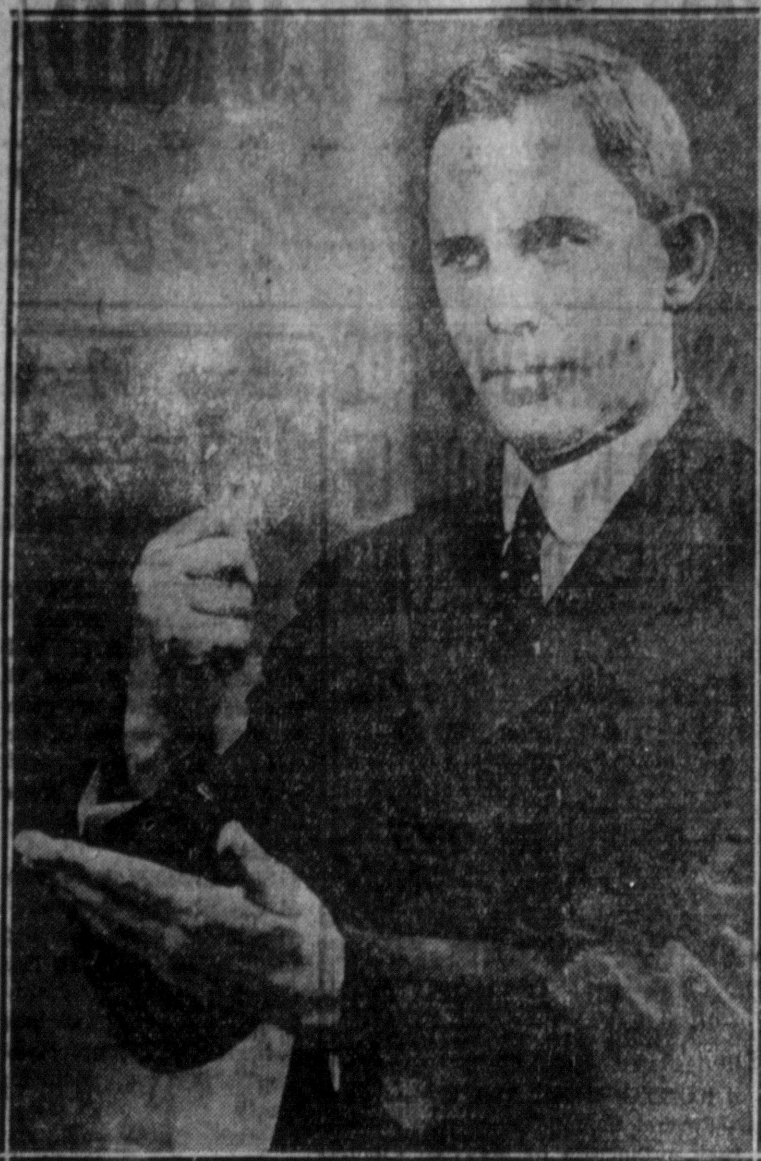
Various other witnesses testified to portions of Norris' story at the grand jury proceedings. The testimony of Carl Glaze, 14, who was in the office of Norris on an errand, has not been made public, but the prosecution claims that the indictment was made without the help of that statement.

Chipp's Unarmed

"We will try it as a murder case. From the standpoint of the evidence, Chipp was unarmed, and shot down by the pastor. That is our case and nothing more. We will not, if possible, deal with other matters," said McLean.

There is a good chance, how-

Preacher Faces Murder Charge



Rev. Frank Norris, of Fort Worth, Texas, was to go on trial November 1 for the murder of D. E. Chipp, a business man, who was shot to death in the pastor's study.

Miss Hamilton Is On Program, Will Give An Outline

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pleased with the variety of produce and the farmer is getting ready cash for his product where heretofore he has had to ask the merchant to advance on his crop. We have just made a canvass of the members and 34 have reported sales for 5 months amounting to \$11,238.00.

Some of the regulations of the curb market are as follows: Each producer selling on the curb market has to take out a yearly permit which costs him 50 cents and this in turn is turned over to the City License clerk. This eliminates the possibility of the merchants saying anything about an unlicensed business. After he takes out his yearly permit he must pay 10 cents each day that he attends the curb market which is the market master as his salary.

The market master makes all prices and those selling on the market are governed entirely by these regulations. No peddlers are allowed and only those that produce their own produce are allowed to sell at the market. Should one farmer wish to bring produce for another farmer he can do so but will have to take out two permits for that day.

A great deal of credit is due the different civic organizations for their co-operation in bringing it before their bodies at different times so that the consumer would take advantage of the curb market and do her buying there instead of at the Cash and Carry stores. Since the operation of the curb market the different civic organizations in the city have decided to build a shed and stalls for the protection of the farmer during inclement weather and today each club has raised this money and are only waiting the city to pass an ordinance to allow this shed to be built on some city property. I trust that this will give you the information that you desire and if we can be of further service kindly call on us.

Yours very truly,
W. G. MOFFAT
Chairman Curb Market Com.

Buy in Albany-Decatur, boost local business, helping yourself and your neighbor. The way to make a town better is by putting your earning into a channel which will soon return those earnings to you. Buy at home.

ever, that the religious fight will enter, and I am prepared to combat that defense when and if it is presented.

"Wild Bill" is the attorney who defended Clara Smith when she was accused of the murder of Jake Hammond, Republican leader and oil man of Oklahoma, one of the most picturesque court battles of the southwest.

ACREAGE IN CULTIVATION HAS DECREASED IN 15 YEARS TIME

Major Crops of State Tend Toward Slight Decrease; Horse As a Farm Animal Shows a Marked Decline, Bureau States.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 21.—(AP)—Acreage under cultivation in Alabama has shown marked decrease during the last fifteen years, due directly to the diminishing number of farms. The value of the farm land in the aggregate in recent years, has depreciated. Major crops of the state tend slightly toward a decreased output, while livestock and livestock products have in a fair manner held their own. The horse as a farm animal showed a marked decline. Figures substantiating these facts were derived from the United States Census of Agriculture, compiled by the Census Bureau and the Department of Commerce for the years 1909-10-19-20-24 and 25, and released here this week.

The approximate land area in the state of Alabama includes 32,315,560 acres. From 1910 to 1920 farm land in the state decreased 4,155,456 acres; from 1920 to 1925, it showed a decline of 2,837,717 acres. The acreage for those years is tabulated as follows:

For 1910, 20,732,312 acres; for 1920, 19,576,856 acres; for 1925, 16,739,139 acres.

The number of farms in 1910 were listed at, 262,901; in 1920, 256,009; in 1925, 237,631, thus indicating from 1910 to 1920 a decrease in number of 6,892, and from 1920 to 1925 a further decrease of 18,468. The value of farm property in 1910 was estimated at \$370,138,429, increasing \$320,710,291 by 1920, which year showed a total worth of \$690,848,720, but a depreciation resulted between 1920 and 1925 of \$190,108,398, leaving the total figure for 1925, \$500,740,322.

The amount of acreage being tilled and the principal crop productions in Alabama during the period between 1909 and including 1924, swayed back and forth centering on no specific medium, the statistics reveal. An acreage given at 2,572,968 in 1909 produced 30,695,737 bushels of corn, harvested for grain use, with an increase to 3,224,204 acres in 1919 which witnessed an output of 43,699,100 bushels. Only 2,754,448 acres were planted in corn in 1924 and the output fell back to 32,999,894 bushels. In 1909, 13,665 acres of wheat granted a yield of 113,953 bushels; this amount rose in 1919 when 34,017 acres produced 222,838 bushels of wheat. A setback was incurred in 1924 when 6,070 acres yielded

61,055 bushels. Oats, threshed for grain, show a sharp decline in output since 1909. The record discloses, in 1909, from 257,276 acres, a yield of 3,251,146 bushels; in 1919, from 85,398 acres, a yield of 1,120,334 bushels; in 1924, from 11,167 acres, a yield of 162,201 bushels. Figures relative to the peanut crops are 1909, 100,609 acres produced 1,573,796 bushels; 1919, from 334,238 acres, an output of 6,288,594 bushels, a big jump from that of 1909; and in 1924, from 253,827 acres, 4,918,817 bushels of peanuts were harvested.

In 1919, 336,292 acres of Alabama soil were planted in velvet beans compared with 310,872 in 1924. Figures. Totals for the hay crop of 1909 recorded an output of 230,406 tons from 220,112 acres. The output in 1919 was 443,525 tons from 530,226 acres; in 1924, 372,631 tons were produced from 508,949 acres. Cotton crops during this period were, in 1909, 1,129,527 bales picked from 3,730,482 acres; in 1919, 718,163 bales gathered from 2,628,154 acres; and in 1924, a slight rise was noticeable in 989,673 bales from 2,948,072 acres. Sugar cane acreage: 1909, 27,211 acres were planted; 1919, 25,302 acres; and 1924, 11,216 acres, showing a great reduction in the number of acres allotted for the crop. Sorghum rose and fell. In 1909, 16,107 acres were planted; in 1919, 52,406 acres and in 1924, 23,804 acres. In 1909, 14,486 acres gave a yield of 1,129,564 bushels of white potatoes; 1919, 13,397 acres produced 386,450 bushels and in 1924, a big increase prevailed with 16,695 acres yielding 1,433,529 bushels. Sweet potatoes and yams in 1909 with a yield of 5,314,857 bushels from 66,613 acres, and in 1919 with an output of 8,095,404 bushels from 90,868 acres, had two big years, but diminished considerably in 1924 with only 3,573,118 bushels from 48,443 acres. Strawberry acreage: in 1909, 1,167 acres; in 1919, 1,359 acres and in 1924, 3,125 acres. In 1919, 6,083 acres were given over to watermelon crops; in 1924 the number of acres planted in watermelons reached 20,608.

In fruit production, apple harvests were recorded as follows: Trees of bearing age in 1909, 1,468,436, bushels produced, 888,399; in 1919, 1,044,397, bushels harvested, 577,356; in 1924, 798,670, bushels gathered, 1,002,683.

Peach crops, in 1909, trees, 4,016,197, number of bushels, 1,416,584; in 1919, trees, 2,090,724, bushels, 1,083,142; in 1924, trees, 1,849,990, bushels, 1,116,935 bushels. Orange trees of bearing age, in 1909, 2,599; in 1919, 260,294; in 1924, 262,680. Pecan trees of bearing age, in 1909, were numbered at 44,683; in 1919, 176,426; and in 1924, 303,399.

The census report for the years 1910-20 and 25, listed the increase and decrease in the number of head of stock in Alabama as follows:

Cattle, in 1910, 932,428; in 1920, 1,044,098, an increase of 111,880 head; in 1925, 822,093, a decrease of 221,915; dairy cows, 1910, 314,172; 1920, 394,112; 1925, 304,666; mules 1910, 247,146; 1920, 296,138, 48,992, more than 1910; 1925, 302,708, 6,570 more than in 1920; Alabama's horse stock greatly diminished, in 1910 there were 135,636 head accounted for; in 1920, the number was 130,462; and in 1925, 87,464, a loss since 1920 of 42,998 head of horses; swine in 1910, numbered, 1,266,733; in 1920, 1,496,893 and in 1925, 826,833, a drop of 670,000 from the 1920 figures; sheep figures retreated from 142,930 in 1910 to 81,868 in 1920, a reduction of 61,062 head; and further retreated in 1925; 26,314 head, to a 55,554 total. Poultry has increased rapidly, the figures are: 1920, 4,589,660; 1920, 5,919,429; 1925, 6,284,460.

Live stock products tabulated from the reports of 1909-19 and 24, are revealed in the following: Dairy products—milk produced, (including estimates for incomplete reports), in 1909, 97,894,060 gallons; 1919, 93,903,677 gallons and in 1924, 95,364,244 gallons, reaching an approximate medium in the last census; butter made on farms, has declined gradually in production, in 1909, 29,550,595 pounds were churned; in 1919, 28,490,181 pounds; and in 1924, the output was 27,704,745 pounds; butter fat sold, included in 1909, 21,744 pounds, 1919, 582,858 pounds; in 1924, 966,677 pounds, establishing a large increase in the butter trade; cream sold, in 1909, 28,385 gallons; 1919, 150,474 gallons; 1924, 194,705 gallons; whole milk sold, 1909, 3,397,426 gallons; 1919, 6,408,962 gallons; 1924, 7,128,429 gallons, a cream and milk indicating a substantial rise. Wool—sheep shorn, numbered in 1909, 120,039; 1919, 70,051; 1924, 49,153; wool produced, 1909, 339,884 pounds 1919, 247,241 pounds; 1924, 168,114 pounds. Eggs and chickens—chickens eggs produced in 1909, 21,945,662 dozen; 1919, 23,436,979 dozen; 1924, 19,466,770 dozen; chickens raised, 1909, 11,382,815; 1919, 10,179,698; and in 1924, 9,527,321.

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TODAY 12 Years Ago

From The Daily of
October 21, 1914.

The Decatur council last night ordered the chief of police to inspect cellars in the business district as a precaution against fires.

Special Officers Gracey and Ewing, of the Southern, narrowly escaped injury last night when a negro is said to have snapped a pistol in the officers' faces.

The local compress is handling about 800 bales of cotton daily now.

Miss Masterson of Hartselle is the guest of Mrs. L. H. Ramage.

Selfishness also consists in failing to do your full duty when your community calls on you.

A hurricane in Florida and a Crimson Tide in Alabama appear equally as devastating to the opposition.

All our industries are working full time, more families are moving into the cities, the cotton market is bound to come back, the fall looks pretty good from that angle.

We quite agree with the joyous individual overheard singing as he travelled down the street the other day: "Great Stars, these days are nice; a bit too warm for fires, and a bit too cool for ice."

When conditions reach the state where a farmer, peacefully at work in his cotton field, is killed by a low-swooping airplane, it does seem that the time has arrived to call a halt and protect the people on the ground from aerial buzzards.

Despite the average American's wonderment at the state of mind of people who accredit royalty with more than human endowments, they cannot restrain their curiosity which causes them to dare traffic jams to get a glimpse of sovereign visitors.

The "office cat" inquires what has become of the "poor working man?" He is still working and is still poor, but the installment plan has deceived him into the ownership of a number of comforting articles which may, someday, be paid for.

The New Jersey investigators plan to exhume again the body of Mrs. Eleanor Mills. There are discrepancies in the stories told concerning a wound across her throat, they explain. The bungling manner of the Hall-Mills murder investigation has reflected no credit upon law enforcement.

It is a poor rule that works both ways. In Uniontown, Pa., school authorities adopted a rule that children could not be whipped by school officials, without written consent of the parents. Now the students complain that not only is such permission granted freely, but usually a second whipping at home follows the one at school.

If the local council does undertake a revision of the traffic code, let it be hoped that some provision will eliminate the senseless stopping of vehicles in the middle of the block. One driver went up Second avenue yesterday and back down the avenue, being halted on five occasions during the one trip by other drivers calmly stopping their cars in the middle of the block.

Walter Sharp, of Nashville, was placed in prison because he killed his wife. He claimed her death was part of a suicide pack broken up by the quick arrival of the police. He spent ten days in his drab cell before death released his soul. "Cause of death unknown" is the verdict of the investigators and Nashville prison officials still are wondering whether or not some higher agency over which they have no control was instrumental in sending the soul of Walter Sharp to face judgment.

The various proposals for relieving the financial depression many farmers find themselves in, as a result of a falling price, may all be good, but by the time they are put into operation, a great many of the planters will have sold their product, and the market manipulators will reap the benefit. A reduction in acreage next year will let the farmers, themselves, in on the higher price melon cutting. The question remains, as it always has, will the farmers help themselves by reducing the crop?

STRANGE DEFENSE MADE BY ALLEGED DRY LAW VIOLATOR.

The article published in The Daily Wednesday, revealing the strange defense of an alleged liquor law violator, that the low price of cotton left him with the necessity of providing, in some manner, the needed food and clothing for his family, brings a new factor into law enforcement.

It is easy to criticize the other fellow for a misstep, but self preservation remains nature's initial law, and many will wonder what they would have done, had they faced the same situation as this Morgan county farmer.

Liquor manufacturing is wrong, from a moral standpoint, because it is profiting on the weakness of another. It is wrong from a legal standpoint, because it is a violation of the prohibition laws.

"But what of us?" asks the wife. "Someone will take care of you, someone will provide heat, and someone will provide food, but what of us?"

There is the pitiful side of the picture. Perhaps it requires some perplexing situation like this to remind human beings that they require some higher authority than themselves to work out for them the greater problems of life.

FROM WHENCE COMES ALL THIS PROPAGANDA AGAINST THE ALLIES?

Propaganda is a great influence for good or for evil. Its beneficial force was strikingly illustrated during the war when it was the chief agency in keeping the people of the various allied nations together in a spirit of determination which finally brought peace and victory to the allied banners.

During the war the average American considered France, Belgium and England as great friendly nations, big-hearted, with high ideals and dauntless courage. In those countries the Americans were welcomed as couriers of a glorious democracy in the west, crusading for a just cause. With tears glistening in their eyes, the people of the other allied nations, opened their arms and their hearts in tumultuous welcomes to the American troops as they arrived.

On this side when the various war missions, composed mostly of wounded allied troopers, arrived, Americans were shaken by their emotions as they gazed upon these human relics of that maelstrom "over there," where men's bodies were being broken and men's souls tried in order that liberty might survive.

That, however, was nearly eight years ago. Now we read of American tourists being mobbed abroad and of the deep-seated hatred for America and all things American. On this side our chief political leaders are lustily shouting that the allied debts must be paid "down to the last red cent" and whipping American sentiment with the lash of oratorical outbursts against the Belgian, the Frenchman and the Englishman.

One cannot escape wondering, occasionally, why this is so. Whose fine hand is behind this effort to separate, in spirit, the allied nations and then, having driven a wedge, to widen the breach beyond repair?

Surely this flare-back of passion is not a simple natural consequence of the war. Whose purpose would best be served by differences among the allies? Whose reputation, above all others, stood out as the best distributor of propaganda during the early days of the great conflict? Would it not be to our own advantage to find out why America should hate her late allies, and why our late allies should hate us, before we blindly plunge into hatred?

MEMPHIS COMMERCIAL APPEAL HITS HARD AT THE DIVORCE LAW.

The Memphis Commercial Appeal, which long has enjoyed the reputation of being frankly out-spoken and a leader in independent journalism, never made a severer arraignment of a cause of condition than it recently voiced editorially against the laxness of the present divorce laws.

The Memphis paper says: Considering the trend of recent events in Mexico there should be no great surprise over the bold proposal made to the legislature of Hidalgo to legalize polygamy. The sponsor for this attack upon the most sacred human institution brutally asserts his purpose to permit men of sufficient means to possess simultaneously at least two wives and two families. The only barrier to any man's return to an animal state would be his financial inability to maintain such a state.

We say that this should not be particularly surprising because some of the states of Mexico have gone practically to the same length in the making of divorces so easy to procure. There being in those states practically no bar to the putting away of one wife or husband and the taking on of another, it will be hard to discriminate between conditions prevailing in such places and permission to indulge in open polygamy. As a matter of fact open polygamy for males ought not to be as bad in its effect as open and unimpeded divorces for both males and females. There is only a difference in names between polygamy that permits the possession of two or more wives at the same time and the permission of unrestricted divorces for the possession of a new wife or husband whenever one might take the inclination.

The divorce laws are even worse because they permit polyandry as well as polygamy.

That should give Americans plenty of food for thought. The people of this country are prone to criticize Mexico on any occasion and the proposal made by the Mexican legislator has not escaped the condemnation it deserves. Americans, however, should remember the old injunction regarding persons residing in glass dwellings being chary about hurling rocks.

All of the laxness in divorce laws is not confined to Mexico, nor to any other country. Much of it is found in America. The matter of a person having had, several husbands or wives at various times, no longer occasions much comment. Conditions are bad enough when such things can happen, but conditions are infinitely worse when they can happen and the public not become alarmed over them.

Congress could spend some of its time far less profitably than by attempting to work out a standard marriage law for all of the states and a standard divorce law, omitting many of the present objectionable features.

THE CAUTIOUS BUSINESS MAN



THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

By J. A. West

(By J. A. WEST)

A GREAT LEADER

Today when there are so many announced leaders, it is well to turn the pages of history, and study the character and makeup of one of the greatest leaders the world ever knew.

Throughout the scope of the International Sunday School lessons, the character of this great man was studied and discussed as the topic for last Sunday's lesson.

First of all he was prepared from early youth for the great part he was to play in sacred history. Another for himself all prerequisite of a leader, actually putting himself as the least of all, and pointing to others whom he thought should be entrusted with the great task which lay ahead, and which ultimately he discharged with such signal success.

His great leader Moses, never sought the limelight, and never placed himself at the head of the procession seeking to get in the spotlight of the history of the time, but reluctantly accepted the role that brought him fame, and made his name known of all men of all ages.

He never played for favoritism; he never sought the best places; he never placed his gifts at the altar of those who had the appointing powers; he never possessed any personal ego, pointing to himself as the one and only one capable of assuming and carrying out a great mission, but through it all, he was the meek man, offering every plausible excuse that he might be excused from the task.

How in contrast to those who are self appointed leaders, rushing to the front and proclaiming, "behold me" one willing and capable to execute the job in a man's way, and with ulterior motives, harness themselves without taking the measure, and are a misfit from beginning to the end.

One of the great distinguishing marks of a real leader, one with practically all instances, they invariably disclaim for themselves the qualities of leadership, but once they are in command, there is respect for their aloofness, as they buckle themselves to the discharge of the great undertaking and the confidence reposed in them.

Herein lies the secret of success of the great Washington who had to be importuned time after time to take up the helm of government, and his letter to the congress of the U. S. when asked to assume the role as its Commander-in-Chief, are alike marked characteristics of the great man that he was, and made his name a household name the world over.

Moses, while a great christian patriarch, was a christian statesman as well. He studied no in-

trigue of politics; he was not concerned with the thought of "how much is it worth to me," but when the divine command was given and he saw it his duty to accept, put all the power of his being into the job in hand, and then succeeded admirably well, for the Savior of mankind alone and unassisted, buried him with his own hands on the mountain of Moab.

And while all this took place, it is well to study and ponder the fact well, that Moses received a severe rebuke and was not permitted to see the promised land because of some failure to measure up to the requirements expected of him.

With this great truth clearly taught, how much in error and how gross a misrepresentation on the part of those who would assure leadership with ulterior motives in view, and wreck the machine and all those who placed themselves in the care of this self appointed leader.

Leaders are evidently born to the task, and have from time immemorial, been those who sought the good of the multitude, with no self.

thought of personal gain, and discounted personal service, hoping to bring the greatest good to the greatest number. Therein is leadership and statesmanship, the two combined making a rare combination which harvests golden deeds from the machine called SERVICE.

Peace Is Declared By Chicago Gangs

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—(AP)—Peace has been declared in gangland.

Gangster chiefs and their family were reported celebrating to the armistice between the Cicero and the Chicago Northside gangs which they hope will confirm the recent tender of the olive branch in the words of one who "deplored the bootleg feud and their machine gun flings, because there is plenty of business for all of us."

Buy at home, get the best products markets have to offer, buy reasonable merchandise you can see.

SOUL OF MILK HIDDEN IN MAGIC VITAMINES

Sleepless Science Not Satisfied with Knowing What Elements Exist in Food but Seeks to Determine Functions of Each One.

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D.

United States Senator from New York.
Former Commissioner of Health, New York City.

HIDDEN away in research laboratories are hundreds of men who are all the time working to solve the mysteries of Nature. They are not satisfied to know that things happen. They want to know why things happen.

These scientists are not faddists. They are sane, far-seeing, conscientious and unselfish mortals, seeking to solve problems so that men may live longer and be happier while they live.

The future is filled with uncertainties. If mankind were forced to depend on methods of feeding which satisfied the needs of our ancestors there would come a day when food could not be had to maintain the increased population of the world.

But no one need fear. The laboratory workers, will find a way. Day and night they strive, and without doubt their efforts will succeed.

The results already announced are most interesting. For instance, their discovery of the vitamins is a fascinating thing.

No one knows exactly what a vitamin is, but whatever it is we cannot do without it. Let me tell you about a simple experiment which proves this.

Two sets of white rats, brothers and sisters perhaps, are used. One set is fed exactly as the other except that no milk is given the "A" group. The "B" group is given a tiny amount of fresh milk. The "A" group loses weight steadily, and every animal will die if the experiment is continued. The "B" group thrives and increases in weight.

At the end of two weeks the diets are reversed. Immediately the "B" group loses weight and the "A" group picks up weight and becomes strong and vigorous.

In this experiment the quantity of milk used is so small that it amounts to almost nothing—far less, indeed, than the gain in weight. But the milk contains a mysterious something which stimulates the body tissues, causing growth, vigor and glowing health.

Whatever this substance may be it is given the name "vitamine." As applied to milk, I frequently call it the "soul" of the milk.

The laboratory workers have not been satisfied merely to find that vitamins exist. They have gone farther. It is known now that at least five varieties of vitamins exist. They are known as vitamins "A," "B," "C," "D," and "E."



DR. COPELAND

Today:

By ARTHUR BRISBANE. (Copyright, 1926, by The Star Co., For Albany-Decatur Daily).

In offering Mr. Brisbane's daily editorials The Albany-Decatur Daily does not necessarily concur with his opinions but offers them as the sentiments of the highest paid editorial writer in this country.

WHAT will be the size of America's great fortunes 100 years hence, with millions begetting other millions?

Stephen V. Harkness, in the early days a partner of John D. Rockefeller left his widow a modest Standard Oil fortune of fifty millions. Now Mrs. Harkness is dead, and her estate totals eighty-five millions.

SHE was an admirably benevolent woman, giving away large sums. There was no speculating, no sudden gains, just money slowly increasing, in this land of fabulous wealth, like a rolling snow ball.

SHE owned Standard Oil stocks, hundreds of thousands of shares, also thousands of shares of General Electric, telephone and telegraph, Atchison and other railroad stocks.

INHERITANCE taxes take sixteen millions of her fortune. Her son will get sixty millions. How much will he leave, if he invests in the United States, and let arithmetic and compound earnings take their course?

Foolishness and many children help to dissipate great fortunes, but the wealth of the American billionaire, of whom we have several, is piling up faster than it can be spent.

BUT don't worry or join the communists. It is not what one man owns, but how he spends it, that counts. If the money goes back into industry no harm is done—except that the children of the ablest business men have no incentive to make them work, usually become parasites.

COURAGE overcomes disaster, the brave Japanese prove it. The yen has risen 20 per cent in a year, the Bank of Japan reduces its discount rate and the nation will soon join Britain and the United States on a gold basis.

PROTECTIVE tariff, strict economy, and abstaining from foreign loans have enabled Japan in a few years to rise from the great earthquake calamity to high prosperity a great and courageous nation.

THIS column long ago warned stock gamblers that the weaker motor stocks, might cause trouble. Nothing is wrong with the motor industry, but there has been excessive stimulation of buying, by urging false credits.

"Bring in your old car, pay down a few dollars and drive away a new car" is too tempting to the foolish.

New cars bought too hastily, second hand cars junked too hastily, must now be digested.

DR. DUNLOP, professor of experimental psychology at John Hopkins says that smokers are more dependable than non-smokers.

It may be true, smoking is a substitute for thinking. A man blowing smoke into the air is not thinking up mischief, or anything else—men smoke with chin tilted upward, they think with the chin down.

THE professor says there is no proof that tobacco hurts women more than men.

There is proof that it makes women smell of tobacco, and that hurts their marriage chances.

WHY do many Americans never "get ahead?" Here is one answer:

One billion dollars is the total of worthless stock sold every year in the United States.

Charge up another billion to race track gambling.

And more than a billions to Wall Street gambling, and you see where the savings go.

Three thousand million dollars thrown away every year. That's money enough to buy

A Woman's Millions.
Courage Conquers All.
Credit Over-Stimulated.
1,000,000 Bungalows.

each year one million bungalows at \$3,000 each.

PROFESSORS Hussey and Bossiter, of Michigan University, leave for South Africa next Saturday to study double stars in the Southern hemisphere.

On a hill in the Orange free state they will erect a 27 inch telescope and work in wonderfully clear atmosphere.

THAT interests the average citizen less than any new detail in the world of crime, divorce, football, or pugilism. It will interest future ages more than the battle of Waterloo or any other human dog fight.

LLOYD GEORGE praises Asquith like a conquering game cock crowing on the body of a defeated foe.

He praises prohibition also, but will never persuade Britons to adopt it.

They retain the theory that the individual should decide personal questions for himself. They even maintain that enjoyment of a glass of beer is more important than increased savings.

Think of that for depravity.

BISHOP ALLEN IS CALLED BY DEATH

Dies Following An Operation At A Mobile Hospital

MOBILE, Oct. 21.—(AP)—The Right Rev. Edward T. Allen, bishop of the diocese of Mobile, died at a local hospital early this morning following an operation.

Bishop Allen had been ill for ten days, he recently returned from a meeting of the Catholic hierarchy at Washington, D. C., and went to an infirmary about a week ago. He was operated on at an early hour yesterday morning and stood the operation well, but later a change for the worse came over him and he died at two o'clock this morning.

Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been completed.

Bishop Allen, the fifth and present occupant of the See of Mobile was president of Mt. St. Mary's College, Emmittsburg, Md., at the time of his consecration by Cardinal Gibbons at Baltimore, May 16, 1897. Under his direction this diocese has made great strides. When he came to Mobile there were but 22 churches with resident priests, 15 parishes with parochial schools, 2 hospitals and 2 orphanages and 2,528 children under Catholic care in colleges, academies and schools. The latest statistics show that the diocese now has 64 churches with resident priests, 47 parishes and missions with schools, seven hospitals, four orphanages and 7,806 children under Catholic care. More than 150 priests now minister to the spiritual wants of the people of the Diocese against the 48 Bishop Allen found in the Diocese when he came to the See. Bishop Allen served 45 years as a priest and nearly 30 years as a bishop.

Watch Ohio Ward Sent Out To Reed

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 21.—(AP)—United States Senate elections expenditure investigating committee was formally called upon today to "keep a close watch" on expenditures in the Ohio campaign, with a view to conducting a "careful and sweeping investigation" immediately after the election.

The request was made by Democratic state chairman Thomas E. Dye, in a letter to Senator James A. Reed, of Missouri, chairman of the committee who now is conducting an investigation in Illinois.

Chairman Dye explained his request was based upon a published report to the effect the republican campaign committee of Hamilton county "is raising or has raised" a fund of \$90,000 to be used in that county alone, where Dye says only one tenth of the total vote of the state is represented.

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BEREAN CLUB.

Mrs. R. T. Tyler and Mrs. Z. Thimble were the hostesses at the meeting of the Berean Club on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Tyler on Canal street.

The president, Mrs. L. P. Troup called the meeting to order and after the Lord's prayer, a business session was held. In the absence of Mrs. Hewlett, the chair appointed Mrs. B. Preuit to act as secretary. Several matters of importance were discussed. Mrs. C. K. Lide was elected delegate to the district meeting of the Federated Clubs that will be held in Tusculum.

Roll call was answered with scripture verses on "Love of God." The main topic of the afternoon was the Bible lesson that was conducted by Mrs. Troup. She gave the interesting book of the prophet Hosea in a splendid way. The study of hymnology was resumed by the club and Mrs. Ritter gave a short sketch of William B. Colliver, writer of "Return, O Wanderer, Return." Miss Elizabeth Wallace sang this hymn, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. A. J. Harris, both adding much pleasure to their hearers.

The hostesses served a plate of delicious salad to the members and the following guests, Mrs. A. J. Harris, Miss Elizabeth Wallace, Mrs. G. D. Williamson and Mrs. J. H. McMath.

MOTHERS CLUB BUSINESS MEETING.

A business meeting of the Albany-Decatur Mothers' Club was held on Wednesday afternoon at the Kindergarten room in the Y. M. C. A. In the absence of the president and vice-president, the retiring vice-president, Mrs. Frank Lide, presided.

Mrs. W. P. Baugh was unanimously elected president and Mrs. I. V. Timberlake, second vice-president. Mrs. Allene King was elected as delegate to represent the club at the First District Federation meeting to be held in Tusculum this month.

Plans were discussed for raising funds for the Kindergarten.

The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. T. Z. Bailey and Mrs. Joe Wilder as joint hostesses on October 29.

MRS. PRUETT ENTERTAINS.

A very pretty bridge party was given on Wednesday afternoon for Mrs. Jarrett Law, of Harriman, Tenn., by Mrs. Fred Pruett, whom she is visiting. Her home on Canal street was tastefully decorated with many gift flowers.

The trophy for top score was won by Mrs. Leroy McEntire and Mrs. S. W. Irwin cut the consolation prize. The hostess gave the honor guest a dainty souvenir of the party.

A salad course was served after the presentation of the prizes to the guests who were: Mesdames Leroy McEntire, T. C. Almon, W. A. Perkins, Will Wyker, J. P. Brock, Andrew Perolio, Morgan Stickney, Sara Jeffries, T. M. Jones, Jr., John McGehee and S. W. Irwin.

EVENING CARD PARTY.

Mrs. S. L. Otte entertained on Tuesday evening to honor Mr. Otte on his birthday and she invited the following of his friends for games of five hundred and rook: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Young, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Otte, Mrs. Carl Swanson of Birmingham, Henry Morgan, of Birmingham, Misses Clovis and Katherine Babler, Mrs. Herbert Hawk, Misses Margaret Hawk, Evelyn Dublin, Katherine and Mary Louis Otte.

At five hundred, Miss Clovis Babler won the first prize, while Miss Katherine Babler received the consolation. Mrs. Herbert Hawk was awarded the rook top score trophy and Miss Mary Louise Otte the consolation.

Late in the evening coffee, sandwiches and mints were enjoyed by the players.

SIX HUNDRED CLUB.

Miss Madeline Dix was a gracious rook hostess of Wednesday afternoon, when she entertained the personnel of the Six Hundred Club at her home on Line street. A profusion of dahlias and sage were used to beautify the home.

At the conclusion of the five games of rook, a chicken salad course was served when Miss Dix was assisted by Mrs. Paul Dix.

MRS. LAW COMPLIMENTED.

Mrs. Jarrett Law, who is the house guest of Mrs. Fred Pruett, was the inspiration for a very lovely evening bridge party on Tuesday given by Mrs. Leroy McEntire and Mrs. T. C. Almon. Mrs. McEntire's recently remodeled home was the setting for the affair and it was beautifully decorated with fall flowers.

A fruit salad course was served at the conclusion of the bridge games at which Mrs. Andrew Perolio won the ladies high score prize, T. C. Almon the mens' trophy. Mrs. Law was presented a memento of the delightful evening.

Those included in this hospitality were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pruett, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Jones, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John McGehee, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stuart Banks, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Knight, Mr. and Mrs. George C. M. Dr. and Mrs. Andrew Perolio, Dr. Grimes of Montgomery, Miss Ruth Banks, Jack Dillehay, Henry Sigmond, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Stickney, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Burnum, T. C. Almon and Leroy McEntire.

MORGAN COUNTY W. M. U.

The quarterly meeting of the Morgan County Woman's Missionary Union of the Baptist churches convened on Tuesday at Hartselle, beginning at 10 a. m. Every society was represented at the meeting and each gave a report of their work.

A great part of the morning session was taken up in preparation for closing two year's work that will end in December. It has been a very successful one and promises to be one of the very best in the history of the county. The devotional in the morning was especially good and was given by Mrs. Bird, of Falkville, who took the topic of the day, "Render An Account," as her subject.

The world wide missionary program of the Southern Baptist church, was ably discussed from four different standpoints by Rev. Boozer, Mrs. A. A. Ash, Mrs. J. D. L. Burns and Mrs. E. E. Speer.

The hostess church served lunch at noon and after the business session in the afternoon the meeting adjourned to meet the Tuesday after the third Sunday in January at the Southside Baptist church in Albany.

PROGRAM GIVEN

General Program for Morgan County Teachers' Institute, County High School Auditorium, October 29 and 30.

Friday, October 29—9:30—Opening exercise, Morgan County High School.

10:00—Health inspection and supervised play, Mr. J. R. Sharman, State Dept. of Education.

10:45—Departmental sessions.

11:45—Enrollment.

12:15—Noon period.

1:15—Discussion of A. E. A.

1:30—Community work, Miss Danylu Belser, State Dept. of Education.

2:00—Departmental sessions.

3:30—Roll call—adjournment.

Saturday, October 30—8:30—Opening exercise, Austinville School.

9:00—Home demonstration, Miss Sallye Hamilton.

9:30—Talk to teachers, County Superintendent E. L. Hays.

10:00—Departmental sessions.

11:15—Talk to teachers, Miss Danylu Belser.

11:45—Keeping records and making reports, Assistant Superintendent S. A. Edwards.

12:00—Roll call—adjournment.

TEA FOR TEACHERS POSTPONED.

The Tea that was to have been given on Friday evening for the teachers of the Decatur schools, has been postponed until next week, the date to be announced later.

CENTRAL P. T. A. The Parent-Teachers' Association of Central Albany, will not have a meeting on Friday but will meet on Tuesday at 3 p. m. in the Gordon Annex auditorium.

P. T. A. PROGRAM

Program for meeting of Morgan County Council of P. T. A., to be held at Hartselle in City School Auditorium, on Friday, October 29, beginning at 7:30 p. m.

Devotional—Words of welcome, Mrs. W. T. Tiller, President City School P. T. A.; Mrs. J. B. Huie, President High School P. T. A.

Response—Mrs. H. L. Hefflin, President County P. T. A.

Reading—"When the People Sing," Miss Jewell Harris.

Community Singing—Led by Miss Nannie B. Chandler.

Reading—Miss Anne Johnson.

Male Quartet.

Address—Modern Health Teaching in the School and How the Home May Co-operate, Mr. J. R. Sharman, State Superintendent of Education.

Discussion—Led by Mr. S. O. Maner, Austinville.

Community Singing—Led by Miss Jewell Harris.

Address—The Value of a Parent-Teacher Organization to the Community, Miss Danylu Belser, State Department of Education.

Discussion—Led by Mr. E. G. Hamilton, Priceville.

PERSONALS

Mrs. H. L. Kirby has been called to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. A. A. McCollum at Danville. It is feared that Mrs. McCollum is dangerously ill.

Leroy McEntire and Leroy McEntire, Jr., will spend the weekend with relatives in Nashville.

Mrs. C. E. Swanson and daughters, Gloria and Mary Katherine, returned to their home in Birmingham on Wednesday afternoon after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Sim Otte.

Mrs. Jarrett Law, of Harriman, Tenn., will return to her home on Friday after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Fred Pruett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McAnear, of Jopka, Ala., were the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith.

The many friends here of Father J. E. McDermott, who has been very ill at an infirmary in Mobile, for several months, will be glad to know that he is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Johnson have returned from a visit to Kansas City, Mo., where they were guests of their son, Arthur Johnson and Mrs. Johnson.

Mrs. Hinton, of Corinth, Miss., arrived Wednesday to be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. L. R. Nash.

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EMBARRASSING MOMENTS



Mrs. Roy Billings and two children left Tuesday for Springfield, Tenn., having been called there by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Elam.

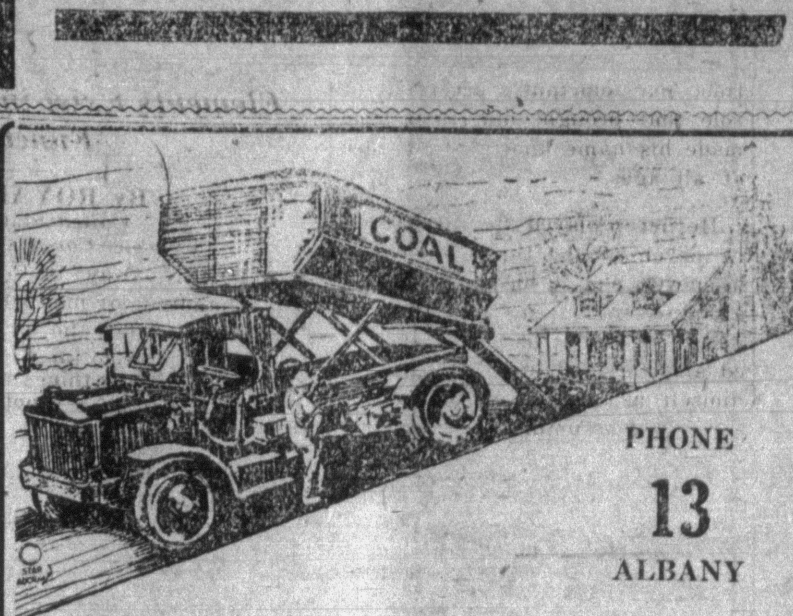
Mrs. J. D. Sharp is at the Benevolent hospital recuperating from an operation. She is reported doing nicely.

Mrs. Brad Bibb, Mrs. Will Hayes and Mrs. Richard Rundle, of Belle Mina, Ala., were the guests of Mrs. Zeno Bailey on Wednesday.

Mrs. Madeline Dix, Miss Fanny Mae McKinn, Dr. and Mrs. F. R. Benson, and Rev. David Bryan, of Ringto, China, the latter a returned missionary, are attending the Morgan County Baptist Association at Pleasant Hill today.

We have discontinued running Ice Wagons on Sunday. Be sure to get enough ice Saturday to last over until Monday.

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CLEAN COAL

Three Tigers Are Born On Train

The Hagenbeck-Wallace circus, which played here Saturday, is larger now than it was then by the birth of three tigers on the train, enroute to Anniston. The Anniston Star describes the incident as follows:

Three baby tigers were born just outside Anniston on the moving show train carrying the menagerie to this city for a performance today. Dr. F. J. Ellet, the circus physician and "Cheerful

Gardner" superintendent of the menagerie, announced. The more than 700 people with the show are rejoicing and the news has been cabled to the Hagenbecks in Germany, it was said.

Distinguished names have been given the babies. One is dubbed "Brisbane" after the great editor Arthur Brisbane; another "Minnie E." after Minnie Evans Keyes, general grand secretary of the Eastern Star of the World, of Washington, D. C.; and the third "Anniston" for the city of its birth. To prevent the mother from thinking harm will befall her

spring she and cubs are housed in a dark apartment. For the mother to imagine her tears will be hurt, it is said causes her to devour them.

The marvelous thing about the tiger cub named "Minnie E." is the birth-mark it has. Between its eyes is a perfect "star" and this suggested the name it bears.

Mrs. Raymond Locke, of Columbus, Miss., Mrs. Darrah, of New York city, Mrs. J. C. Hollenbeck and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ashford, of Courtland, were shopping vis-

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GO TO J. A. THORNHILL—For loans, rentals, fire insurance, deeds, mortgages, contracts. He knows how to look after them.

WHAT OF THE FUTURE—Is it a home, money, fire insurance, investments? Come let's reason together. J. A. Thornhill.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Extra large pair of young mules. Cash or terms. Write or see D. D. Lake, Hartsville, Route 2, near Neal on Danville-Decatur road. 20-3t

FOR SALE—Windshields, any cars by C. E. Malone. 27-tf

FOR SALE—One large wood and coal range. Phone 757 Albany. 21-3t

FOR SALE—1924 model Ford touring car. Motor and body in good shape. \$75.00. Phone Albany 400. 21-3t

FOR SALE CHEAP—Several good 8-foot show cases in A-1 condition. Apply Hale & Wilson Co., Albany, Ala. 21-3c

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Six acres of land, six room dwelling, 1 store, 1 mill, garage, blacksmith shop, within quarter mile of Albany, east pike. See Henry Johnson, write Albany, Rt. 2. 21-3t

FOR RENT

WANTED TO RENT—50 or 60 acres of good farming land, with two settlements close in. Phone Albany 649-W, or write J. E. Rush, 1829 Sixth Ave., South. 15-6t

ROOMS FOR RENT—Over Albany Drug Company. Newly papered and painted. See J. F. Weekes, next door to Hill Grocery Co., Moulton St. 19-3t

FOR RENT—3 unfurnished rooms, private bath, also garage. Call Decatur 349-W, or Decatur 74. 21-3t

MISCELLANEOUS

FRATERNAL AD UNION meets Friday Oct. 22 at 8 p. m. All members requested to be present. You will be surprised. A. L. Moye, Pres. 20-3t

DRY KINDLING—You will need it soon; get it before our supply is gone. Decatur Box and Basket Co. 16-tf-c

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WANTED—Second hand adding machine. Must be in first class condition and reasonable. Clyde Patterson Albany, 30. 20-tf

CIGAR SALESMAN—\$35 per week and expenses or commission. Former experience unnecessary. Send stamped addressed envelope for full particulars. Carolina Cigar Company, Greensboro, N. C. 20-tf

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MORTGAGE LOANS—Made for period of five years on improved Albany and Decatur property at low interest rates. Unlimited funds at all times. Prompt service. Allison & Woods 611 2nd Ave. phone Albany 74. 19-1mcc

NOTICE

State of Alabama, Morgan County.
IN THE PROBATE COURT
Estate of Mrs. Mary E. Orr, deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of Mrs. Mary E. Orr, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Hon. L. P. Troup, Judge of Probate of Morgan County, on the 20 day of October, 1926. Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said Estate will be required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

This 20 day of October, 1926.
F. A. BLOODWORTH,
Oct. 21-28-N-4 Administrator.

NOTICE OF PETITION

State of Alabama, Morgan County.

CIRCUIT COURT IN EQUITY
Notice is hereby given that on this day Hugh D. Morrow, a minor and Lois Draper, his guardian, have filed in said Circuit Court, in Equity, their petition to have said minor relieved of the disabilities of non-age, which petition will be heard in said Court on November 12, 1926.

Witness my hand as Register of said Court, this October 21, 1926.
MARVIN WEST
Oct. 21-28-Nov. 4. Register.

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Farm Notes

DANVILLE PLANS COMMUNITY FAIR
The Danville community is getting ready for a second Community Fair, which will be held at the Danville school, Saturday, October 23rd.

Relying on the success of the last Fair held a few years ago and upon the work being done by various committees, this year's fair promises to be even better than the last.

Much work is being done by the exhibit committee, and several clubs as well as individuals will enter booths. Judges will be on hand to judge and place ribbons on the prize articles. The exhibit hall will be open at 10:00 o'clock, Saturday. Everybody is invited to come and help make the Fair a success. Speaking will be held in the auditorium during the morning. Games and contests will be an interesting part of the day.

Lunches and drinks hot and cold will be sold on the grounds and a good time is assured for all who take advantage of this occasion. Come and be with us.

SIGNED:
Mrs. R. C. CLEERE.

RYAN 4-H CLUB

Ryan 4-H club met Friday morning, October 15th at 10:00 o'clock for their regular meeting. The club which was organized a year ago was re-organized at this meeting. The members elected Clothing II for the year's project.

The following officers were elected: Jewell Crawford, president; Arnis Oden, vice-president; Milford Crawford, Secretary-treasurer; Ruby Enterkin, cheer leader and Lois Briscoe, Song leader.

Eighteen members were enrolled and the club was divided into two groups.

The club decided to make tables for cutting out, with the money

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won at the County fair.

New Record books were handed out and a lesson assigned in the Sewing Manual for next time. We will also begin cutting out our undies. Miss Hamilton showed us samples of the different weaves and materials suitable for underwear.

Sometime in November we are planning on giving a Bryan Supper to raise money for the club.

Mildred Crawford Sec.

Basham Chapel

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McMillon, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kitchens and Mildred Kitchens were the guests of Mrs. Willie Jones Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Petway Roberts were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones Sunday.

W. B. Jones is confined to his home with illness.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Jones is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Mann were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Martin, Sunday.

Misses Pauline, Lucile, Beatrice and Bessie Lamon and Mr. Fred Simmons were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Simmons Sunday.

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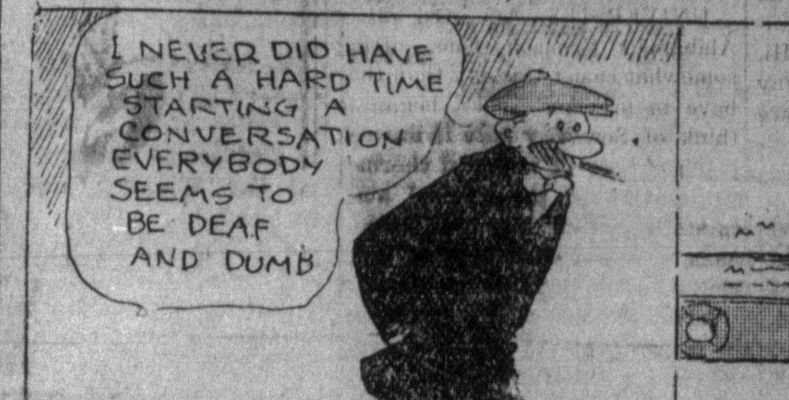
Ruptured people all over the country are amazed at the almost miraculous results of a simple Method for curing this trouble. This remarkable Rupture System is one of the greatest blessings ever offered to ruptured men, women and children. It is being pronounced the most successful Method ever discovered, and makes the use of trusses or supports unnecessary.

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Ice Deliveries On Sunday Stop

Coincident with the arrival of fall weather, the Decatur Ice and Coal company, distributors of the Twin City's ice company announces that deliveries will not be made on Sunday until next spring. Patrons were urged to lay in the necessary supply of ice on Saturday to carry them over the week-end.

JUST LIKE A MAN



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POULTRY MARKET

(Furnished by E. T. Gray & Sons)

Hens	22c pound
Fries	22c pound
Stags	12c pound
Cks.	6c pound
Ducks	8c pound
Geese	Unquoted
Guineas	25c pound
Turkeys	Unquoted
Eggs	30c dozen
Butter	15c pound

LOCAL SPOTS

Strict Middling	1.87
Middling	1.72
Strict Low	1.67
Low	8.12

Love Goes Adventuring In—
PARADISE COSMO HAMILTON
Author of "SCALP AND BLINDNESS OF VIRTUE"
Published by arrangement with First National Pictures

Panton Street lost, the Daimler given up, all that sea between them and London—Tony's plan of King-ship—the mere idea of anything so cruel piled Pelion upon Ossa.

"You mustn't even hint such a thing to Tony," she said quickly, "but of course you never will."

"The only thing is this," said Pollock. "We said, as I told you, at the end of next week. If there are no deeds and the island can be claimed legitimately by Queen, it will be well to discover that fact before we leave you, or how in the name of wonder will you both get back?"

"You don't know me," she said quickly, "and you certainly don't know Tony."

"Well, but it's been my job to study character and look through the keyhole of humanity's fourth walls."

"Then you haven't taken the trouble to look through Tony's. If you had, during any hour of the day and night since that evening at Mount Street, you would have seen that his father's letter was a bell in his ear, touched something in his spirit that had never been touched before."

"Not even by the war, which proved it mettle. It gave him the secret of his failure at Eton and Oxford, showed him why he was a waster in the town, as he called it; known to the police. He stepped at the fact that he was a drawback as Uncle Sam said, born a loose many years ago late. His count here has nothing to do with bladders. To him it's a holy quest, Mr. Pollock, a romantic journey, a great opportunity to begin a new life. Can't you understand that?"

"I don't," he said, "I can't."

"I don't think it's true," he cried. "I don't think it's true. That's why I let you bring me, put me through this. If I hadn't seen it all through his eyes, he would have gone on driving the Daimler because he's what I used to call a bloomin' gent. And as for me, I'm here because he's here. He'll stay here and so shall I. Never mind old London and the Thames. So long as he lives I shall live, and when he's taken I shall follow. We made a compact, Mr. Pollock, and this is love."

There was a pause, but not a silence. The booming and the chanting went on and on.

"Well," said Pollock, "I don't know who said originally that there was an exception to every rule, but he was right. I see, whoever he was."

He raised Christie's hand to his lips with a deferential bow. "Mrs. Tony, your husband may or may not be a bloomin' gent, but, without the slightest doubt, you're a perfect lady. —But oh, good heavens, these mosquito bites!"

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At the cry of "All ashore that's goin' ashore," Lady George threw her arms around Christie's shoulders, the awful noise of the sea and because it was the thing to do on such occasions and she always did the thing, but because her keen interest in the girl whom she had seen first dressed as a ballerina had ripened into love and admiration. The poor old funny lady was very genuinely moved.

"Good-bye, my dear, my dear," she said. "God only knows what we're leaving. You too, Coconut trees and firs, the awful noise of the sea and their damned insects—anyone can 'ave 'em, that's what I say. Give me 'Ill Street with all the raspin' taxes. To think that you've got to live with all these things worries me."

Standing on tiptoes Christie kissed her and succeeded in being brave. Practice makes perfect in that as in other things. "Good-bye, dear Lady George," she said. "Give my love to Leicester Square."

Lumley hove down, the epitome of tact and kindness, the greyhound who was very grey. He had been saying last words to Tony, whose left arm was in a splint. "If all goes well with you, dear girl, I feel quite sure it will," he said, "you may not see me again. I'm very old, you know. Therefore from the bottom of my heart I wish you all the happiness in the world."

Again she stood on tiptoes and received a fatherly kiss. She squeezed his hand very hard, being afraid to speak.

Then Mortimer Pollock came forward and led her to the companionway. "Tony asked me before he went to sleep was to do nothing until he was on his feet. He said that he was going to make the 'Dead Day' a national day, a great ceremony before which the island's should be told the whole romantic story, then attend the function in all their gala things, and acknowledge their kind wish king."

That's what he said, Mr. Pollock, and it means a lot to Tony.

"My God," said Pollock. "He may be asking for the most utter humiliation. I strongly advise that he has a private view of the deeds—or not, as the case may be. Looking at his condition, we shall have sailed before he is well enough to move. Exercise your judgment, my dear. Think of yourself this once. Act on your own responsibility. You needn't say a word."

But Christie stood her ground. Tony had always been a gentleman to her. She would do nothing to hinder his back. "No," she said. "No, it's Tony and me against the world."

Pollock shrugged his shoulders. "Just as you like," he said. "Very foolish, it's carrying loyalty a step too far. Suppose that the deeds are there. You can't tell me that Tony is really serious when he talks about 'king-stuff,' going back to his age and metier, and all that. It's what we used to call blather at school. I take it—a form of self-deception, thoroughly realised, that is used with assumed enthusiasm for the purpose of a faint. Well, he's had his lament, and now he can return to civilisation. If I know Tony, he's the last

man in the world to live on here. And as for you, the little Londoner, as much a part of the old town as the Thames itself, I can't conceive of your remaining here as anything but a tourist."

Going to the bedroom door, Christie peeped in at the patient, satisfied herself that he was sleeping, went back to Pollock and looked up into his mosquito-bitten face.

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Department of Commerce Has Plan To Regulate Commercial Aviation

Penalties Provided For Engaging in Inter-State or Foreign Air Commerce Without Registration Certificate.

By International News Service
WASHINGTON. — Details of methods of regulation of commercial aeronautics by the Department of Commerce, have been made public by William P. MacCracken, Jr., air secretary.

Some of the principal functions of the government, according to the statement will be:

1. Encouragement of establishing airports, airways and other navigation facilities.
2. Studies of possibilities of development of air commerce, industry, and trade.
3. Establishment and maintenance of civil airways; operation and maintenance between airports of landing fields, lights and other signal structures, radio direction finding facilities, and other structures and facilities excepting airports, used as aids to navigation.
4. Charting and publishing of air maps.
5. Recommendations to the Secretary of Agriculture as to necessary meteorological service.
7. Investigation, recording and publication of causes of accidents.

To Register Aircraft
The department is now preparing for the registration of eligible aircraft, rating of this craft for airworthiness, examination and rating of commanders, pilots or other members of aeronautical crews, rating of navigation facilities, establishment of air traffic rules, and providing for issuance, expiration and suspension or revocation of certificates for air navigators.

The act creating the bureau of civil aeronautics in the department of commerce provides that the President and the various states may set apart and protect airspace reservations for defense, public safety or other governmental purposes.

At government airports or intermediate landing fields the federal authorities may provide for the sale of fuel, oil, equipment and supplies at fair market value.

Government air navigation facilities may be made available for public use by the head of the proper government department or agency. Under the act the weather bureau will furnish weather reports, forecasts, warnings and advice generally for the promotion and safety of air navigation.

Name "Ports of Entry"
MacCracken announced that the secretary of the treasury may designate ports of entry for aircraft, detail customs men and by regulations apply laws relating to customs and public health.

The secretary of labor may designate ports of entry for air immigrant aliens, detail men and apply the immigration laws.

The secretary of war may designate military airways, and prescribe rules and regulations for the use thereof, on routes which do not conform to civil airways established under the law, but it was pointed out, the secretary of commerce may designate any military airway as a civil route.

It is provided that aircraft of the armed forces of a foreign country can navigate only upon an authorization order by the secretary of state. The civil aircraft of a foreign country may navigate, except in interstate or intra state commerce, when there is reciprocity between the countries.

This feature of the regulations indicates that aeronautical treaties will be entered into with such countries as now have no similar agreements with the United States.

Various Penalties
"A penalty of \$500 which may be mitigated by the secretary of commerce, is imposed for engaging in interstate or foreign air commerce without a certificate of registration, or navigating registered aircraft without a certificate of airworthiness," MacCracken said.

Penalties are also provided for serving as an airman or registered aircraft without a certificate or in violation of the terms of the certificate, or navigating otherwise than in conformity with the air traffic rules or executive orders regulating airspace reservations.

It is made criminal to force, counterfeit, alter or falsify make any certificate authorized by the act or to use or attempt to use a false certificate or to exhibit with intent to interfere with air navigation, false lights or signals or after warnings from the secretary of commerce to continue to maintain false lights or signals.

Miss Cammie Gray To Speak Friday

Miss Cammie Gray, missionary to China, now here on a furlough, will speak Friday evening at 7:00 o'clock at the First Christian church. Miss Gray, who is said to be an unusually interesting speaker is making a tour of the Christian churches. The public was cordially invited to attend.

TO GO TO BIRMINGHAM
Henry Hartung, Albany city clerk will leave Saturday afternoon for Birmingham, to spend the week-end with Mrs. Hartung, who is the guest of relatives in the Magic City, while undergoing treatment.

FAMOUS FRENCH RECIPES

By ALICE LANGLIER
International News Service Staff Correspondent

PARIS.—"Pate de Cepes a la Muscovite" is one of the specialties of the little Russian restaurant "A la Ville de Petrograd."

Cepes are one of the best varieties of French mushrooms. Select those that are not too ripe. Remove the stems and wash thoroughly. Fry for two minutes in a pan with oil. Cut into halves and season well with salt, pepper and finely-chopped herbs.

Line a terrine with a crust and put all around fine slices of raw ham and over this the cepes. Alternate until the terrine is filled and then pour over a few spoonful of Spanish sauce. Cover with a crust and bake in a warm oven for an hour. Serve at once.

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Queen Marie Arrives



Photo shows Queen Marie of Roumania and Mayor Walker of Greater New York in their car as they left City Hall for the Pennsylvania station, where the Queen entrained for Washington, following her arrival on the steamship Leviathan October 18.

LONDON FASHION GOSSIP

By ETHEL MARSHALL
International News Service Staff Correspondent

LONDON.—Fall fashion displays have been the order of the day among London fashion houses for the past two weeks, and many and varied have been the new modes and ideas exhibited to wondering and admiring audiences.

The net results of this bewildering panorama of fashion would seem to be that dainty femininity will again rule this coming Winter. This idea is expressed in simplicity for outdoor wear, and harmonious color schemes and glittering effects of artistic beauty for evening dresses. A higher and more shapely waistline and a lower skirt hem further enhances this mood of the designers.

The chief novelty note is struck by the variety of new and charming fabrics and the original and tasteful trimming schemes. Here, beads, new forms of sequins, and fringes, easily lead in popularity.

Velvet is the premier fabric in the majority of the models shown, and the variety of colors would put Joseph's famous coat of many colors into shame.

Millinery models have more variety in style than has been evidenced in the past ten years. Individuality, clever and frequently elaborate handwork, and, barring sport hats, more trimming, have succeeded the standardized stereotyped small hat.

The diversity of the waistcoat mode was one of the most interesting things seen. One waistcoat made for a tailor-made, for instance, was of crepe-de-chine cut on very severe lines and fastened, masculine fashion, with a strap at the back. Another of gold silk brocade belonged to the powder and patches period, having a jabot and wrist frills of laced silk, and was cut on longer lines.

The newest high hat has a crown that slopes backwards, giving the idea that the wearer has her hat on the back of the head. It is worn at a very martial angle, and gives the wearer a military bearing.

The latest idea in hats, however, is provided by the pearly hat, in the design of which the ideals of the fashionable modern milliner and the Victorian costermonger are blended.

It is, like most of the Fall models, very high in the crown and considerably more than a hundred, is distributed over the crown in a neat arrangement of vertical lines, the pearls being graded in size. It has already been given the name of the "costermonger hat."

New Equipment Aid To Bakery

The new equipment, recently installed by the Twin City Bread company including a dough-brake, is proving a great aid to that company in popularization of the new "sandwich size" loaf of bread. Shipments of the popular loaf are being made over a wide territory.

Auto, Parked On Street, In Flames

The Albany fire department was called at 7:30 o'clock last evening to extinguish a blaze which was devouring the Ford roadster of R. F. Hardiman, local insurance agent. The car was parked on east Moulton street, while the owner was looking after some collections. The origin of the blaze is not known. The car was damaged considerably.

Belle Mina Mooresville News

Mrs. H. B. Zettler went to Albany Tuesday to spend sometime with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Cortner.

Mrs. Fred Hatch who is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. K. Bartlett, spent Tuesday in Albany.

Miss Florence Woodard spent the week-end with her parents in Ardmore.

Messrs. Jno. H. Peebles Sr., and Jr., and little John were in the Twin Cities Wednesday.

Sanders Cortner spent Wednesday in Belle Mina, having a filling station installed for Mr. E. L. Houk.

Messdames Atwood Mathes, Will Hayes, E. P. Garrett, R. L. Hundley, B. D. Elmira Bradley and Watkins Bradley motored to the Twin Cities Wednesday.

Mrs. Withers Peebles spent Monday in Nashville.

WITH OIL MILL

Robert E. Stewart, formerly a member of the Albany police department, has accepted a position with the Home Oil Mill.

VISITS CITIES

Bruce V. Hill, of Enid, Oklahoma, nephew of the late Joe Vickroy, has returned to his home, after having spent several days here, looking after the affairs of his uncle.

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